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Proposal Review Panel for International Science and Engineering; Notice of Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub., L. 92-463, as amended), the National Science Foundation (NSF) announces the following meeting:

NAME AND COMMITTEE CODE: Proposal Review Panel for Office of International Science and Engineering – PIRE: U.S. – East Africa Research and Education Partnership: Cassava Mosaic Disease – A Paradigm for the Evolution of Insect-Transmitted Plant Virus Pathosystems - Site Visit

DATE AND TIME: January 28, 2019; 8 AM - 9 PM
January 29, 2019; 9 AM – 4:30 PM

PLACE: North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27695

TYPE OF MEETING: Part open

CONTACT PERSON: Cassandra Dudka, PIRE Program Manager, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; Telephone 703/292-7250

PURPOSE OF MEETING: NSF site visit to conduct a review during year 3 of the five-year award period. To conduct an in-depth evaluation of performance, to assess progress towards goals, and to provide recommendations.

AGENDA: See attached

REASON FOR CLOSING: Topics to be discussed and evaluated during closed portions of the site review will include information of a proprietary or confidential nature, including technical information; and information on personnel. These matters are exempt under 5 U.S.C. 552b(c), (4) and (6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act.

Dated: November 14, 2018.

Crystal Robinson,
Committee Management Officer.

PIRE Site Visit Agenda

January 28, 2019

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| 8 am - 9:30 am | Introductions (OPEN) PIRE Rationale and Goals Partnerships Human Resource and Infrastructure Development Institutional Support |
| 9:30 am - 10 am | NSF Executive Session/Break (CLOSED) |
| 10 am - Noon | Research |
| Noon - 12:30 pm | NSF Executive Session (CLOSED) |
| 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm | Lunch - Discussion with Trainees (NSF, Panel and trainees) |
| 1:30 pm - 3 pm | Training and International Experience (OPEN) Outreach Integrating Research and Education Integrating Diversity |
| 3 pm - 3:30 pm | NSF Executive Session/Break (CLOSED) |
| 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm | Administration, Management, and Budget Plans (OPEN) |
| 4:15 pm - 5 pm | Summary |
| 5 pm - 6 pm | Executive Session/Break-Develop issues for clarification (CLOSED) |
| 6:15 pm – 6:30 pm | Critical Feedback Provided to PIs & Senior investigators |
| 7 pm – 9 pm | NSF Executive Session/Working Dinner (CLOSED) Committee organizes on its own at hotel |

January 29, 2019

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| 9 am - 10 am | Summary/PI Team Response to Critical Feedback (CLOSED) |
| 10 am – 4 pm | Site Review Team Prepares Site Visit Report (CLOSED) (Working Lunch Provided) |
| 4 pm - 4:30 pm | Presentation of Site Visit Report to Principal Investigator (CLOSED) |